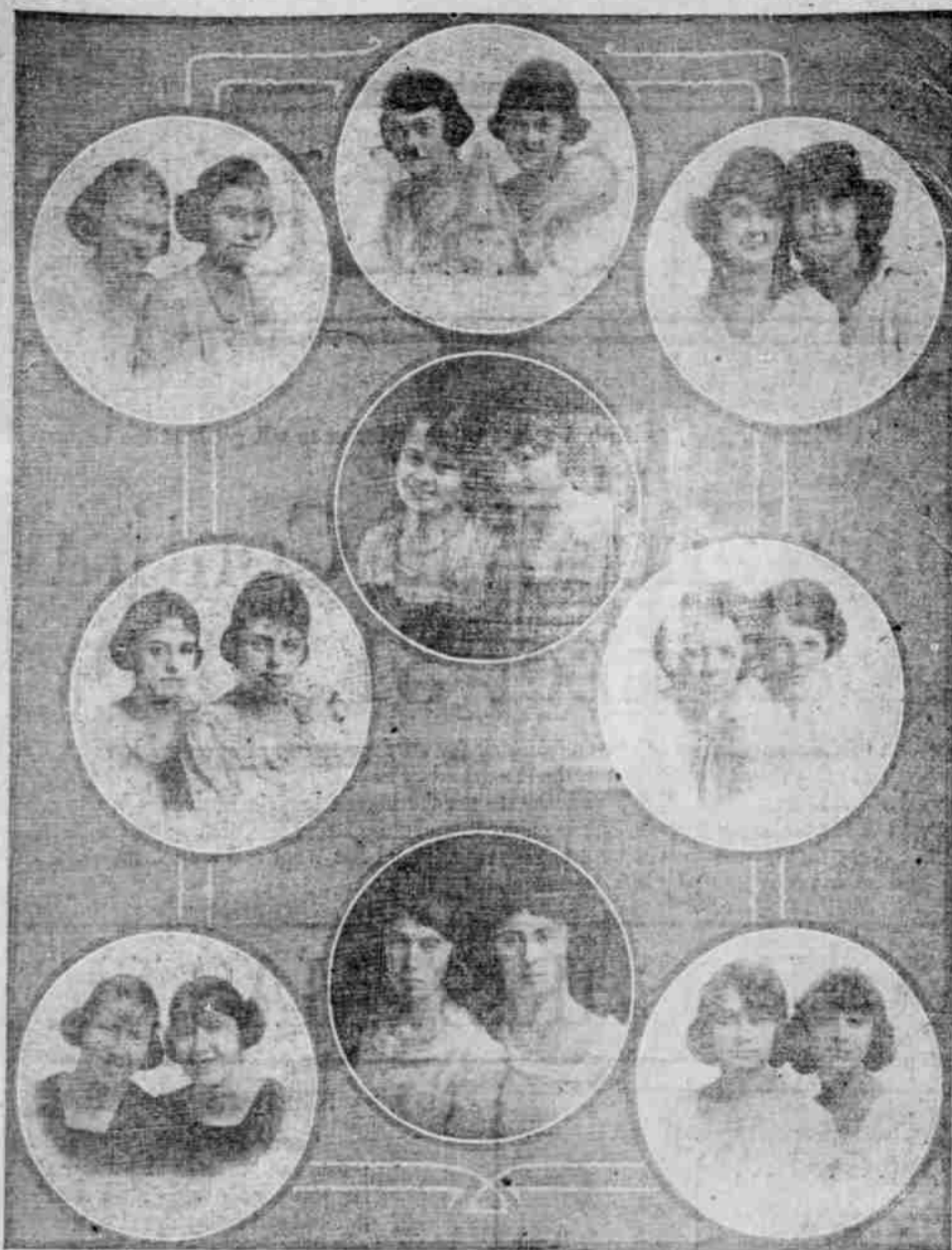


NINE PAIRS OF TWINS ATTEND STEPHENS COLLEGE



3 AUTO THEFTS DURING YEAR

Cars Taken for Joyrides Not Counted—One of Three Found.

Up to the present time, three cars have been stolen in Columbia during 1920, according to the records of the police department. Of these cars, one has been found. All three thefts took place in November and December.

"About half a dozen other cars have been reported stolen," said Chief Whitesides, "but they were all located from within a few hours to a day later abandoned along some side street; so they were not recorded as thefts."

According to Chief Whitesides, a large number of apparent thefts were due to joyriding in borrowed cars. Several students were suspected of having enjoyed these stolen rides. One car was found to have been taken by a 12-year-old boy, who drove it around Columbia and then left it on the north side of town when the gasoline gave out.

"Instances like this were not reported as thefts, but only those in which the cars that were actually taken away were recorded. None of the thefts was due to carelessness on the part of the owner."

The first car stolen in 1920 belonged to Porter Mitchell. No trace of it has ever been found. It was taken on the night of November 10. A Hudson car owned by J. B. Hopper was taken from the garage December 10. It was later found in St. Louis in the possession of a man who claimed to have bought it from Hopper.

TURKEY COBBLER HAS TROUBLE LIVING LONG ENOUGH TO BE KILLED

A Chalmers was stolen from F. E. Norris, December 16. It has not yet been found.

Mr. Chalmers Turkey leads a precarious existence, however, before he crosses the dinner table with his magnificence. There are many pitfalls on his way to the ax. From the time he ranges the pastures, a careless young bird with little sense and few feathers, until he and his garbings are born to the table on a large platter, he encounters enemies of all varieties and sorts. He finds him a tender morsel. He has a fondness for roaming the woods and then danger lurks in the form of venoms. During harvest time, the royal bird tries to imitate one of his neighbors on the farm, he eats too much, which is perhaps the reason he says gobble, gobble! The farmer is very careful at this time to keep most of the corn out of his reach.

In the winter, Mr. Turkey consents to be fed in the barnyard with the rest of the fowls. The farmer prepares a box with one side partly removed, in which he puts the corn. He places this high so that the chickens cannot get to it and steal the big bird's dinner. Now is the time he gets fat, and begins to earn the name of "Chumpkin." He takes on a lordly strut and calls the barnyard his dominion. Now and then he sharply reminds the other birds of his sovereignty by pecking them severely. He once

to spite neighboring farms and settles down to a contented existence. But soon to his self-satisfaction, for there comes the day, when his contented life is cut short.

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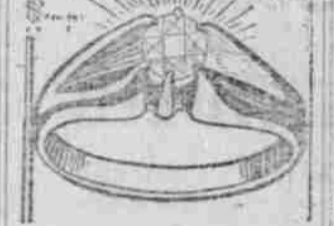
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A Christmas gift box for foreign children in St. Louis is being prepared by the W. C. T. U. It will contain toys, trinkets, ribbons or anything that will delight the heart of a child. The Americanization Committee in St. Louis has charge of the work. The members of the society who are preparing gifts are asked to leave their contributions at the home of Mrs. Alex. Beall, 1311 Broadway, on or before next Wednesday.

At a meeting of the organization this afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. the committee on securing money for the Next East Relief reported \$25.75 collected to date.

"A Compendium of Temperance Truths" has been placed in every school in town. Some of the schools have graded charts for the use of teachers in teaching scientific temperance. There are graded lessons for children in all grades and a book on how to teach them. It is now a law in Missouri that scientific temperance be taught in the schools.

A prize essay contest is to be conducted during the first part of the year by all the schools in the county, including the high schools and colleges. Local, county, state and national prizes are given in this contest. Prizes to the amount of \$159.50 were given in the county last year.

A copy of the "Life of Emma P. Willard" has been placed in the Columbia Library by the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Ollie Crow resigned as secretary of the organization and Mrs. Minnie Morris was elected to take her place.

It was decided to meet in the homes of the members for the rest of the winter. The next meeting will be held January 2 at the home of Mrs. W. P. Dyer, 1502 West Broadway.

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Every nurse at Parker Memorial Hospital will have one holiday during the Christmas season, but only three will enjoy a longer vacation.

Miss Belle Wheeler is spending December at her home in Eureka Springs, Ark. Miss Louise Hilligan is visiting friends in Chicago and St. Louis this week. Miss Edna Alley will leave tomorrow for Princeton, Mo.

As one nurse expressed it, "We all want to go, but, of course, that is impossible, so the lucky ones get to go." However, there will not be much gloom around the nurse's home during the holidays, for a Christmas party with a well decorated tree has been planned and presents will be exchanged.

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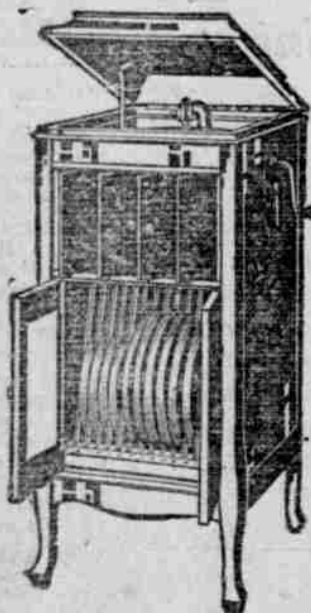
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